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Norwich University a Training Corps.

At a meeting of the Trustees of Norwich University held August 12, a resolution was passed asking the War Department to grade Norwich University as Reserve Officers Training Corps, in the senior division, Cavalry branch of the service.

The change in the military status of the university will be a source of much satisfaction to everybody interested in its welfare. President Ira L. Reeves, who is also Colonel of the 1st Vermont Infantry and now on the border, heartily approves of the contemplated change. The Dean of the University, H. R. Roberts, upon being interviewed stated that there were many advantages to be gained by becoming a unit of the Reserve Officers Training Corps and particularly the following. Students will be allowed to complete their college course without interference. They are not to be called into service until after graduation and then only as commissioned officers. Upon graduation the commissioned officers will be allowed to serve with the regular army troops for a period of six months with a salary of \$100 per month. Students after becoming seniors and juniors will be given the regular commutation of rations during their remaining two years in college. This will aid the students very much, as it practically pays his board. Students will be given one complete set of service uniforms without charge each year.

As before the University will retain the services of a regular army officer as professor of military science and tactics also one or more non-commissioned officers as instructors.

Liberation Notice.

This is to certify that I have this day given my son, Harold Hatcher, his time during the remainder of his minority, and I shall claim none of his wages nor pay any bills of his contracting after this date.

O. L. STEVENS, 5-7
Island Pond, Vt., August 21, 1916.

Estate of Mary (Nolen) Sloan.

STATE OF VERMONT, DISTRICT OF ESSEX SS. THE HONORABLE PROBATE COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF ESSEX.
To all persons interested in the estate of Mary (Nolen) Sloan late of Brighton in said District, deceased, GREETING.
At a Probate Court, holden at Canaan within and for said District on the 22nd day of August, 1916, an instrument purporting to be the last will and Testament of Mary (Nolen) Sloan late of Brighton in said District, deceased, was presented to the Court aforesaid, for probate.

And it is ordered by said Court that the 4th day of October, 1916, at the Probate Office in said Brighton, be assigned for proving said instrument, and that notice thereof be given to all persons concerned, by publishing this order three weeks successively in the Essex County Herald, a newspaper circulating in that vicinity, in said District, previous to the time appointed.

Therefore, you are hereby notified to appear before said Court at the time and place aforesaid, and contest the probate of said will, if you have cause.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND at Canaan, in said District, this 22nd day of August, 1916.

Edwin O. Carll, Judge

PIANO RECITAL.

A large number accepted invitations to a piano recital given by the pupils of Mrs. H. A. Standish at her home on Derby street, Wednesday evening. Pretty decorations were made with vases of cut flowers, and green and white crepe paper, each pupil wearing banners of the same hue and carnations. Lighted Japanese lanterns were hung on the lawn. A most pleasing program was carried out and each pupil exercised much art in rendering the selections, and exhibited the careful training which they receive from their teacher.

Following is the program:

William Tell, Edouard Dorn. Susie Lefebvre.
Installation March, George Noyes Rockwell.
Pauline Walsh and Isabelle Castonguay.
Twilight Memories, Mrs. H. A. Standish Zena McKee.
Sunrise Echoes, F. W. Vandersloot. L. M. Boulds.
San Souci Polka, G. Bachman. Marjorie N. Forbes.
5th Nocturn, J. Leybach. Isabelle Castonguay.
Mithral Moments, H. Englemann. Floyd Elliott and Lincoln Boulds.
Hayfield March, Spencer. Elizabeth Parent.
Love's Dreamland, Roeder. Nellie Sampson and Susie Lefebvre.
Heavenward March, Villbre. Zena McKee.
Whispering of Love, C. Kinkel. Mrs. W. Elliott.
Queen of Hearts, Fitzpatrick. Isabelle Castonguay.
Vesper Chimes, Harry J. Lincoln. Isabelle Dumas.
Hungarian Dance, Fritz Kirchmer. Madeline Eggleston and Marjorie Forbes.
Vienna Echoes, L. W. Keith. Pauline Walsh.
Garden of Beauty, G. Loveland. Floyd Elliott.
Old Folks at Home, S. C. Foster. Zelma Lamson and Zena McKee.
Sweet Evening Star, Frank Listz. Susie Lefebvre.
To the Front, Henry Parker. Isabelle Castonguay and Pauline Walsh.
A Ray of Sunshine, Carl le Duc. Isabelle Dumas.
Humoresque, Dvorak. Madeline Eggleston.
The Nightingale and Zephyr, Boyton Smith. L. M. Boulds.
Falling Leaves, Julius Muller. Marjorie N. Forbes.
Qui Vivit, W. Ganz. Madeline Eggleston and Marjorie Forbes.

TOWN LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Austin returned Monday from Old Orchard and Ellsworth Falls, Me.

Roy F. Kent, immigration officer, is taking a two weeks vacation.

Mrs. Burt Ladd is visiting Mrs. Andrew Applebee at Lake, this week.

Mrs. Iva Humphrey has returned from Old Orchard Beach, Me.

Mrs. B. J. Trask of Wilder, Vt., is the guest of Mrs. Francis H. Johnson.

TOWN LOCALS

Representative T. F. Butler on his trip to Montpelier went by the way of Montreal and Mrs. Butler went with him, stopping at Montreal until his return to see her friend, Mrs. J. J. Connolly, who is very ill. They returned home Sunday.

Mrs. H. B. Amey and daughter, Miss Alpha, returned Monday from Old Orchard Beach, Me., where they have been for the past four weeks. Mrs. Norton and daughter, Gertrude, who have been with them, stopped at Gorham, N. H., and will return home later.

Mrs. H. E. Reynolds and Mrs. V. Tuells of Everett, Mass., who have been camping at Averill, spent the week end with the former's brother, G. C. Johnston.

Henry Willey and G. E. Aldrich each lost a horse Saturday night, killed by lightning.

O. T. Davis' father, M. C. Davis of East Charleston, who has been very ill, is reported some better.

Mrs. David LaPlant of Fitchburg, Mass., is visiting Mrs. A. L. Drown.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Sawyer and daughter, Mrs. Idella Bowen of Worcester, Mass., and Rev. M. W. Barnard of Ellingburg Center, N. Y., are spending two weeks at the cottage of H. B. Amey on the lake.

A number of people motored to Newport Monday and Tuesday to attend the Chautauqua.

Rev. and Mrs. O. L. Barnard of Woodbury are visiting their son, Rev. O. E. Barnard, and wife.

Mrs. Mary Bailey, who has been visiting her brother, Alvin Drown, returned to her home in West Burke Saturday.

The dollar social at the Cong'l church vestry Tuesday evening was a very pleasant affair. Burbank's orchestra assisted by Mr. George Dyer and Mrs. Emma L. Rawson, rendered fine music. Miss Mary Strohe sang two solos and an encore. All the music was finely rendered and very enjoyable. The fun of the evening came with the telling of how each earned their dollar for this social, and the ways and means related in saving this caused much merriment. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The proceeds of this social are for the fund used in repairing the church. There was a good attendance and a

jolly good time enjoyed by all present.

B. E. Bloch of New York city, who has been visiting D. Stern and Julius Stern for the past two weeks, left Wednesday for his return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cabana and children, Stanley and Jessie, left yesterday for Buffalo, N. Y., having occupied their cottage on the lake shore during July and August.

G. L. Bruce of East Haven was in town Monday.

Gerald Petrie of Lyndonville is on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Petrie.

D. C. Colby and D. C. Colby, jr., were called to Lunenburg last Saturday by the sudden death of Mrs. Colby, wife of the former.

H. G. Sullivan of St. Albans has accepted the position as stenographer in the law office of Harry B. Amey.

George A. Hubbard, county clerk, of Guildhall was in town on business Monday.

F. E. Russel is offering for sale several lots on the lake front. These lots are 25 feet frontage, 50 feet back and have a driveway of 16 feet. They are desirable for landings and boat houses and will be ready sellers. Parties wishing to secure one of these lots should see Mr. Russell at once.

Miss Chalternager, a nurse from Brightlook hospital, St. Johnsbury, is nursing at the home of E. F. Johnson.

L. B. Jones, M. D., of Norwich was in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stott and family left a week ago on a visit to relatives in Lowell and Worcester, Mass. While in Worcester, visiting Mrs. Stott's sister, their son, Theodore, was taken ill with typhoid fever. Mr. Stott came home Sunday and Mrs. Stott remained to care for the son. All hope he may soon recover and return home.

L. M. Boulds, who is engaged as pianist in Aubes' Orchestra, Lewiston, Me., is home for a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Charles H. Canfield and daughter, Helen, of Port Huron, Mich., were in town this week being guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Carr and other friends.

"Poodle," a dog which has been a favorite pet of Mrs. Mary Barnes for many years, has died.

Mrs. H. L. Gilman, who has been visiting Mr. Gilman and son, Harold W. Gilman at the Stewart House, returned to her home in Lancaster, N. H., Monday.

Through the efforts of the selectmen and Harry B. Amey a room in the basement of the opera house block has been secured for the band to hold meetings for practice.

G. A. Robbins of Burlington, representing Bradstreet's commercial agency, was in town Tuesday.

E. A. Baker of Andover, N. Y., a guest at the Essex House, finds this climate one of the best he has yet experienced. Mr. Baker is a sufferer from hay fever and is here for his health.

D. C. Foss is building a new concrete walk on the center street side of his store the work being done by Tom Devlin.

Fred Tanguay, Adelard Payeur and A. Bonneau spent Sunday at Derby Line.

Alexander Frew, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. G. C. Johnston, returned to his home in Everett, Mass., Sunday.

Misses Florence Blake and Mary Turgeon took advantage of the excursion to spend the day in Portland Sunday.

Arthur Bonneau and family of Derby street are spending the week in Lowell. They made the trip by auto.

Don't forget that "The Diamond from the Sky" is being shown at the Star theatre every Monday night. Special for Friday evening, September 8th, we have booked a strong mutual master picture, "The House of a Thousand Scandals" featuring Harold Lockwood and May Allison, supported by an all star cast of popular players.

J. Rolfe Searles of the law firm of Simonds, Searles and Graves, St. Johnsbury, was in town Tuesday.

The new road from Norton is being used by many tourists coming this way. The work is being pushed and when this permanent road is completed it will make a popular

highway for tourist trips and complete a fine route through Island Pond, North Stratford and Colebrook, N. H., Canaan, Averill and back to Norton. This will be much appreciated by the tourists who stop at the summer hotels at the Averill lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Minard and Mrs. Dyer, who have spent a four weeks' vacation at Old Orchard Beach, Me., returned home Monday.

Rev. Charles A. Boyd, general secretary of the Vermont Sunday school association, will speak at the Cong'l church Sunday morning and at a union meeting in the Methodist Episcopal church in the evening. At four o'clock in the afternoon Mr. Boyd will meet the officers and teachers of the Sunday schools in town at the Young Men's Christian Association. Mr. Boyd is a very able speaker and an authority on Sunday school work and it is hoped he will be greeted with large audiences.

VISOR SWEATERS

For Fall Wear

L. F. JONES, Dry Goods

W. F. Morong returned Wednesday from Bellows Falls, where he went to attend the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias.

Ray Carr Danforth of Brighton and Miss Maude M. Belknap of Charleston were married Wednesday evening, August 23, at the home of Gene Lyons, Lake street, by Rev. Robert Lawton, pastor of the Congregational church.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Mason and Frank C. Howland and daughter, Miss Elizabeth Howland, of Akron, Ohio, were visitors in town the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Mason were former residents of Island Pond. Mrs. Mason will be pleasantly remembered as Miss Mary Dexter. Mr. Mason left Island Pond when a young man and went to the oil fields of Pennsylvania. From there he went to Akron, Ohio and entered the employ of the Goodrich Rubber company. He began at the bottom of this business and worked his way up, and now holds a position as vice president of the company. His success is remarkable and adds another name to the large list of Vermonters who have gone from the old home state and made notable records in the big business enterprises of the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gans of Groveton, N. H., were visitors the first of the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Stern.

Miss Rosamond E. Bazinet of Coaticook, who has been visiting friends here and at Derby and Holland, returned to her home Thursday.

Barney Roby and little niece, Roma Roby of Colebrook were at Charles Roby's, Derby street, for a short visit this week.

Mr. Kittridge, who works on the Nish farm, injured his hip quite badly Tuesday while herding cattle.

Mrs. B. Stern and Mrs. H. Brandenstein, who have been visiting Mrs. D. Stern for two weeks, left Wednesday morning on a motor trip to New York city with Mrs. D. Stern and Isador Stern. They expect to make the trip in three days, stopping the first night at Claremont, N. H., the second night in Springfield, Mass., arriving in New York city Friday evening. They have confidence in their chauffeur and if nothing happens to the auto they will make the trip in schedule time for Isadore is considered a first-class boy at the wheel.

Alfred Wilson of East Charleston was in town Wednesday on business.

Miss Edna Finnegan visited friends in Groveton, N. H., this week.

Estate of Harriet A. Bartlett.

STATE OF VERMONT, DISTRICT OF ESSEX, SS. THE HONORABLE PROBATE COURT FOR THE DISTRICT AFORESAID:
To all persons interested in the estate of Harriet A. Bartlett, late of Canaan in said District, deceased, GREETING.
WHEREAS, said Court has assigned the 5th day of September next for examining and allowing the account of the administrator with will annexed of the estate of said deceased and for a decree of the residue of said estate to the lawful claimants of the same, and ordered that public notice thereof be given to all persons claiming or entitled to said estate, by publishing this order three weeks successively previous to the day assigned, in the Essex County Herald, a newspaper published at Brighton in said District.
THEREFORE, you are hereby notified to appear at the Probate Office in Canaan in said District on the day assigned, then and there to contest the allowance of said account if you see cause, and to establish your right as heirs, legatees and lawful claimants to said residue.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, this 14th day of August, 1916.

Edwin O. Carll, Judge.

THE OBSERVANT CITIZEN.

Many were the remarks made by our former citizens that Island Pond is more than holding its own, that it never looked so good as at present. These remarks are very soothing to the ears of those who have the interest of the town at heart but when a lot of pin-headed drunks destroy what took time and money to build it is about time if the law won't act, to get together and start in to straighten out the situation. Because a man is drinking it is no excuse to hang up on Clark's corner and use all kinds of profanity, destroy property and throw up his last week's board before he leaves. These want to be shown where to head-in, and the sooner it is done the better for them and the community.

The Grand Trunk is making extensive repairs on the roundhouse. It is stated that all engines are to be repaired and boilers washed out at this terminal.

I notice that several drain pipes from sinks are running into the gutters. Some steps should be taken to stop this at once.

I see that F. E. Russell has a blue print of 24 lots for sale on the shore front. These lots are 25 feet frontage, extending back 50 feet, with a 16 ft. driveway. Did it ever occur to you that you were trespassing if you wanted to get access to the pond? Mr. Russell intends to eliminate this as he has reserved 50 feet frontage which will be presented to the town for a public landing.

RAILROAD ITEMS

BY JACK JOHNSTON.

Engineer Bonneau is taking a brief vacation, motoring with his family.

A standard clock was recently installed at the enginehouse.

"Monk" Danforth acted as yard master during the absence of yard master Butler who, as town representative, was called to Montpelier to attend the special session of the legislature.

The following firemen were recently passed out as engineers:—Cydney Barnes, Paul Varrill, A. Noyes, Roy Parker, Fred Walker and Emile Gamache.

Despatcher Jack Reeve is now working the second trick, Island Pond to Portland, and C. R. Withrow is on the first trick, Richmond to Island Pond.

Conductor P. N. Brown and yardman C. Deslandes are at the former's camp at Summit for a few days' fishing.

Conductor Overbury, who has been off duty for several weeks, has returned to work taking his run on the highball the first of the week. As conductor Curran recently took a highball run conductor Moffett is now in the chain-gang.

The following brakemen have successfully passed their examinations as conductors under Instructor Quinn:—Jesse McWain, Ord Stevens, R. B. Davis, Jabez Cole, R. L. Bailey, A. L. Bailey, Jos. Chesley, Jas. White, L. N. Riggie, Geo. Riggie and N. John. Claire Anderson was also passed out of Montreal.

Conductor Wm. Hammond has taken the Berlin job nights. This makes it pretty soft for Bill as his home is in Gorham.

Engineer Minard has returned home after a pleasantly spent vacation at Old Orchard Beach.

Engineer Bonneau is taking a short holiday, motoring with his family.

Engineer Dumore was in town the first of the week on business, his place on the Berlin train being taken care of by Cydney Barnes.

The pulpwood business continues brisk but trips to the seaside are not as numerous as a few weeks ago.

Brakemen Henderson and Grimes are now on the Berlin night job.

Wanted, Lost, For Sale, Etc.

Advertisements under this heading 5 cents per line for 1st insertion and 2-1-2c a line for each subsequent insertions. Count 6 words to a line.

WANTED

1000 people with corns or callouses to buy a jar of Honey Bee Ointment guaranteed to please or money refunded. Thurston's Pharmacy. 5-13

FOR SALE

24 lots, 25-ft. frontage, 50-ft. back and 16-ft. driveway on the lake shore. Easy terms. F. E. Russell.

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